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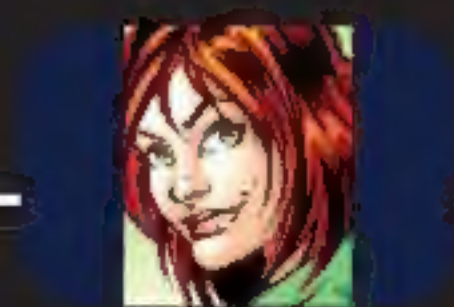
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Peter Parker



Aunt May



Mary Jane Watson



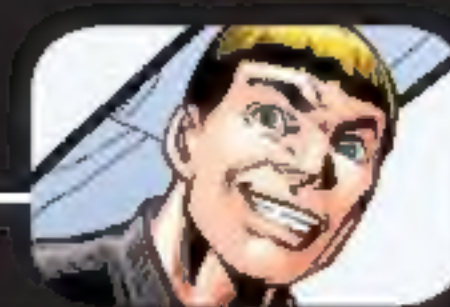
Harry Osborn



Norman Osborn



Gwen Stacy



Flash Thompson

The bite of an irradiated spider granted high-school student Peter Parker incredible, arachnid-like powers. Strength, agility, a spider-like sixth sense warning him of personal danger. And most amazing of all-- Peter can walk on walls.

When a burglar killed his beloved Uncle Ben, a grief-stricken Peter vowed to use his amazing abilities to protect his fellow man. He had learned an invaluable lesson: With great power, there must also come great responsibility!

Now the fledgling super hero tries to balance a full High School curriculum, a night job as web designer of the tabloid the Daily Bugle, his relationship with the only person who knows his secrets-- the beautiful Mary Jane Watson, and swing time as the misunderstood web-slinging Spider-Man.

PREVIOUSLY IN ULTIMATE SPIDER-MAN:

Nick Fury, commander of a covert government agency known as S.H.I.E.L.D. approaches Peter at school and tells him the real story of Norman Osborn and Oz. Norman's drug was a failed super soldier serum that Fury rejected and Norman has turned himself insane with repeated use of it. Fury believes he is going to blackmail Peter into killing him.

Though Peter wants nothing to do with it, Fury is proven right. The Green Goblin kidnaps MJ Watson and brings her to the site of their very first battle, the Queensboro Bridge in a twisted attempt to gain Peter's allegiance. Spider-Man confronts The Green Goblin only to have him throw a helpless MJ right off the bridge.

Spidey leaps after her, catching her limp body and landing on the bridge walkway, MJ doesn't wake up.

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The Triskelion--

The Ultimates floating headquarters
five miles outside New York City.

Quartermain,
this is One Eye
Eagle, over.

I read
you, General
Fury.

I said I want
constant updates
on the Osborn
situation and what
am I getting?

Sir, as you can
see, Osborn has
taken his hostage to
the Queensboro
Bridge.

The Watson
girl is being
held out by
her neck.

Is
she still
alive?

I
think--
yes.

What's the
Spider-Man
kid doing?

He-- it
looks like he
is pleading with
Osborn.

As you
can see,
sir, he...

Aaah!! I
can't see
#&@!!!

Can you
take the
shot?

Not
without
risking the
girl.

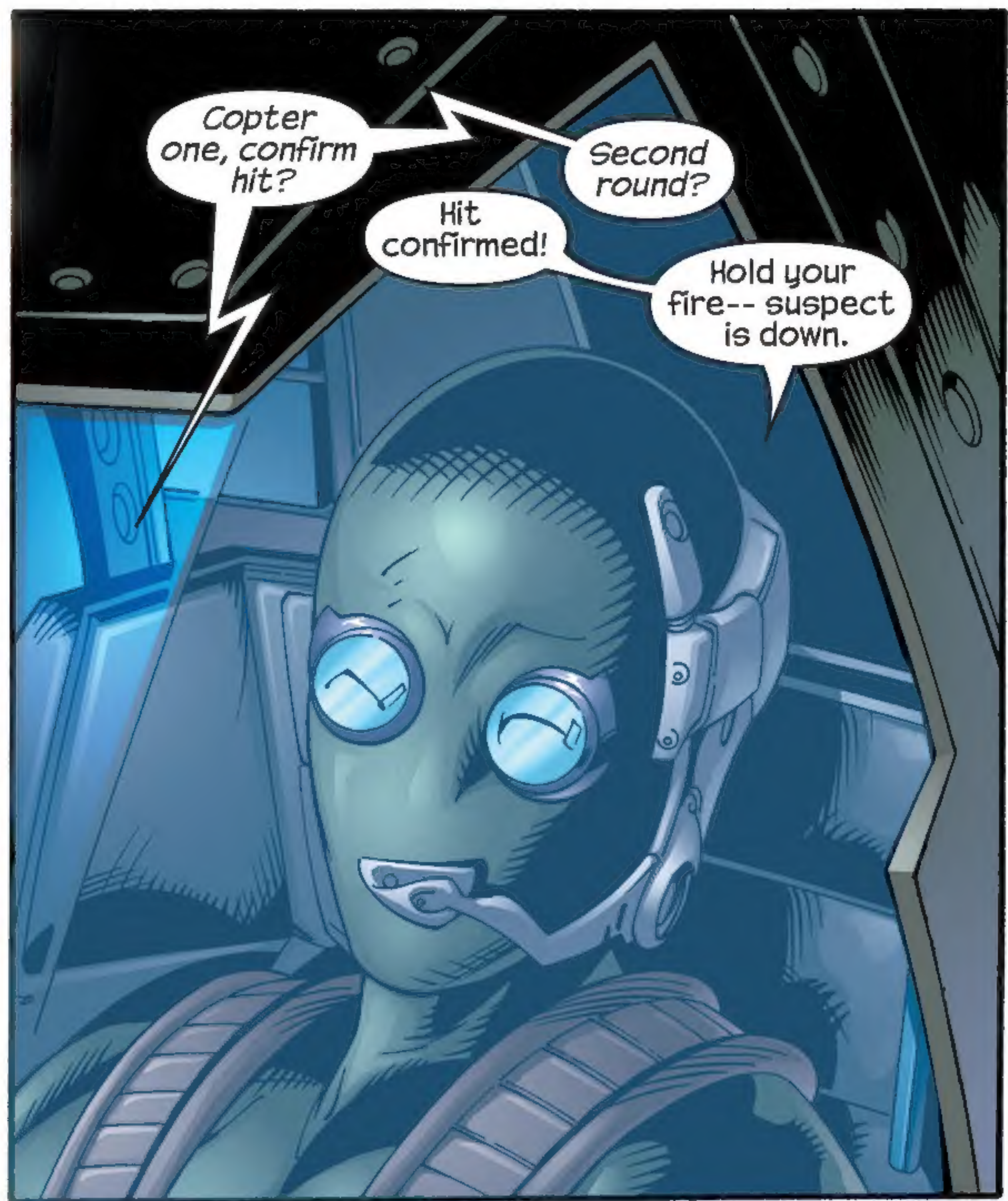
Osborn is
holding her
out by the
head.

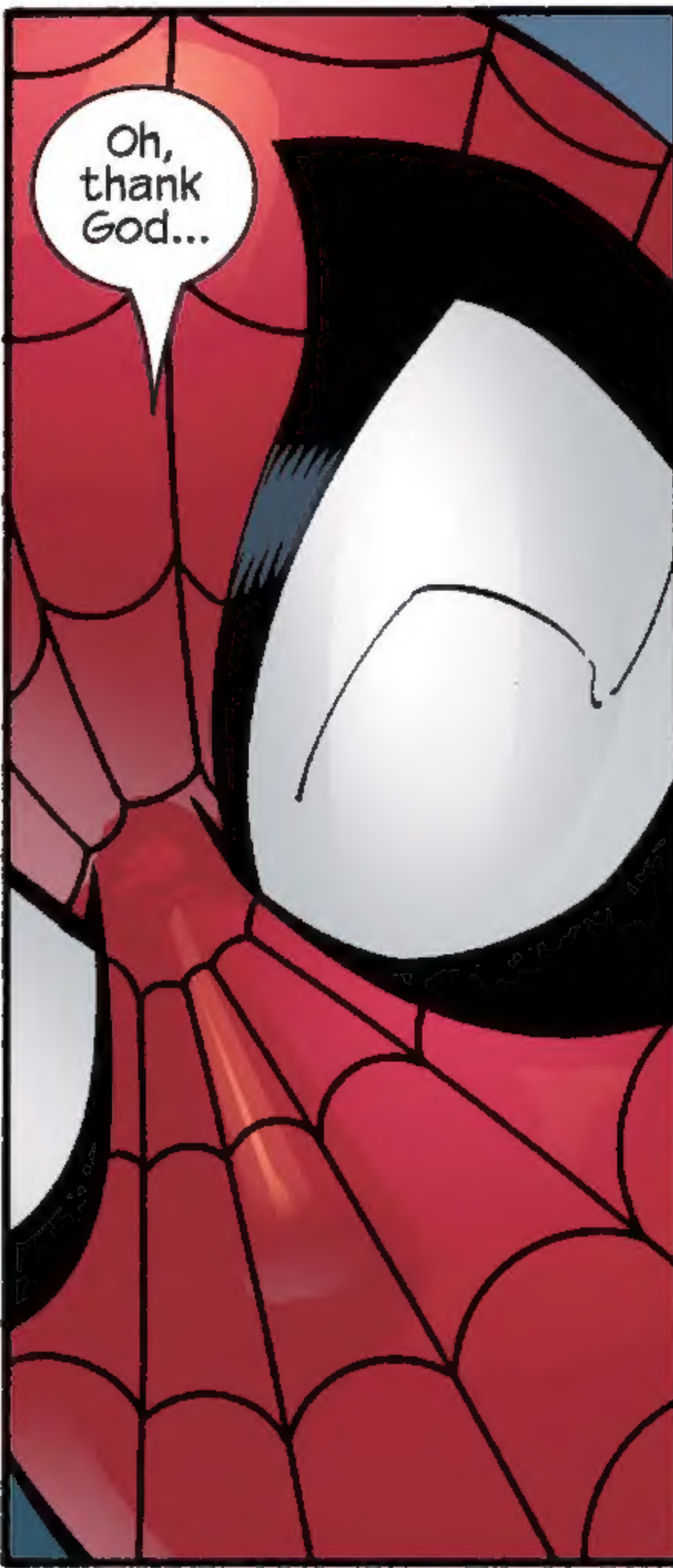
Your call,
General.

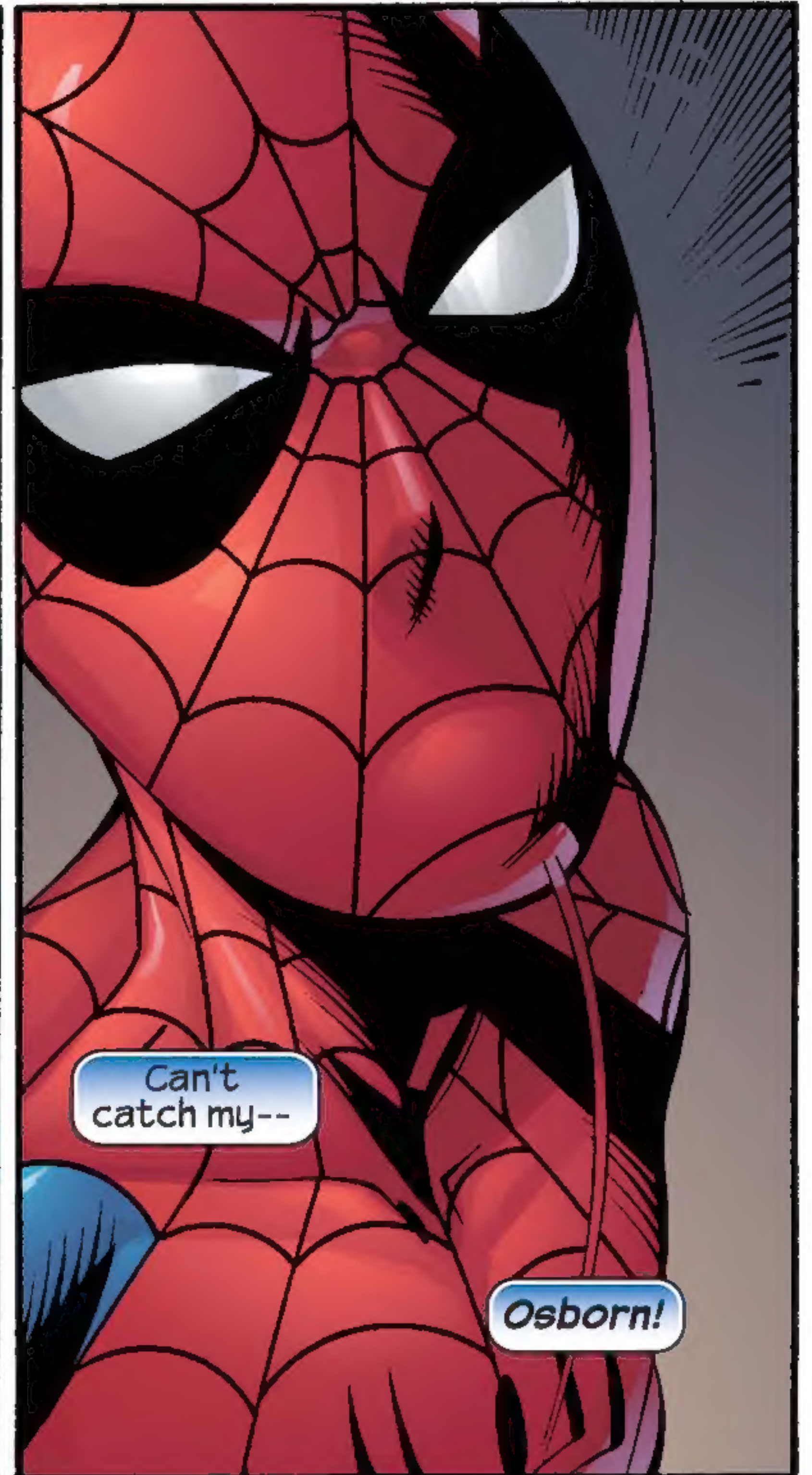
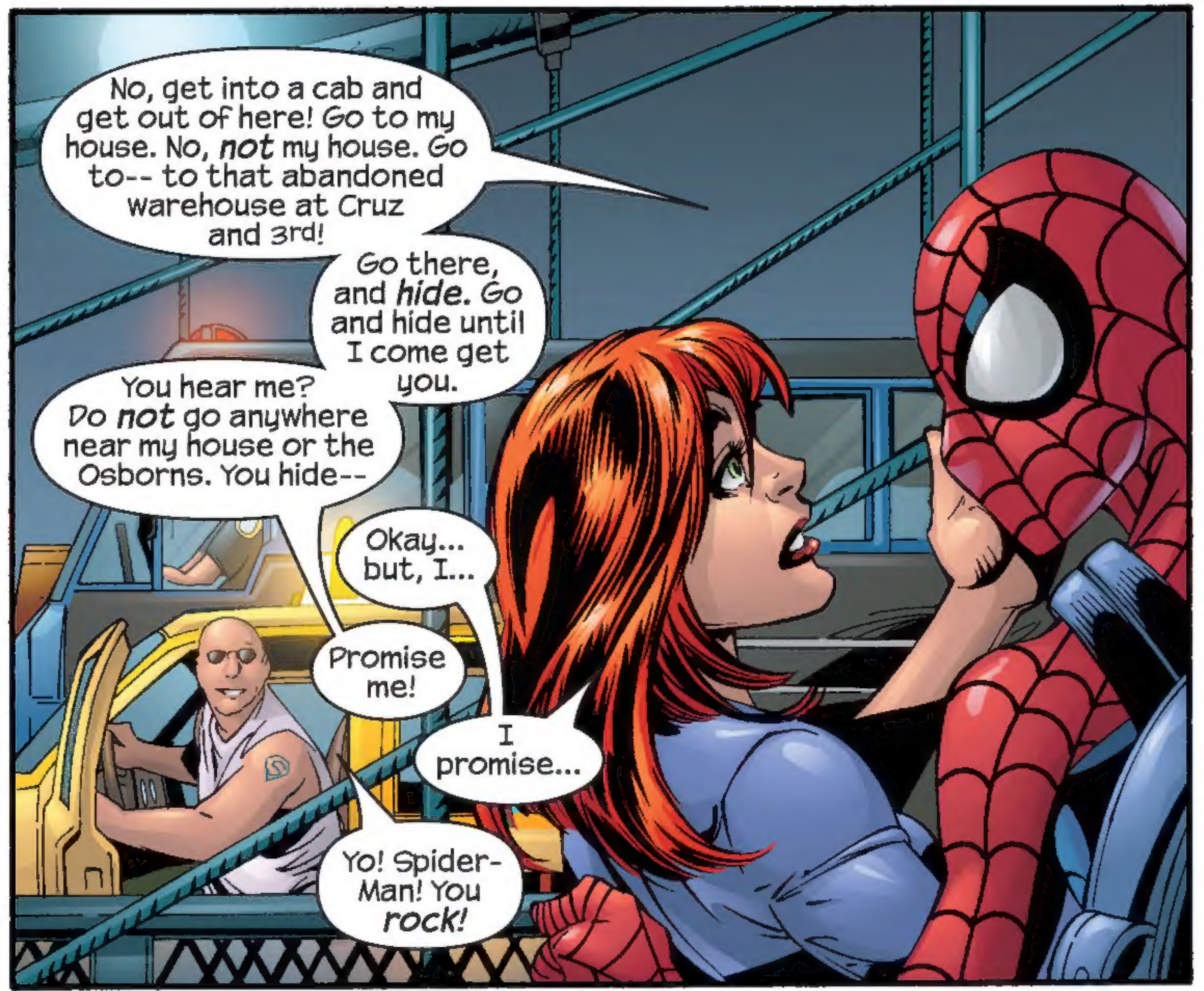
Wait-- oh--
oh my God!
He dropped
her!!

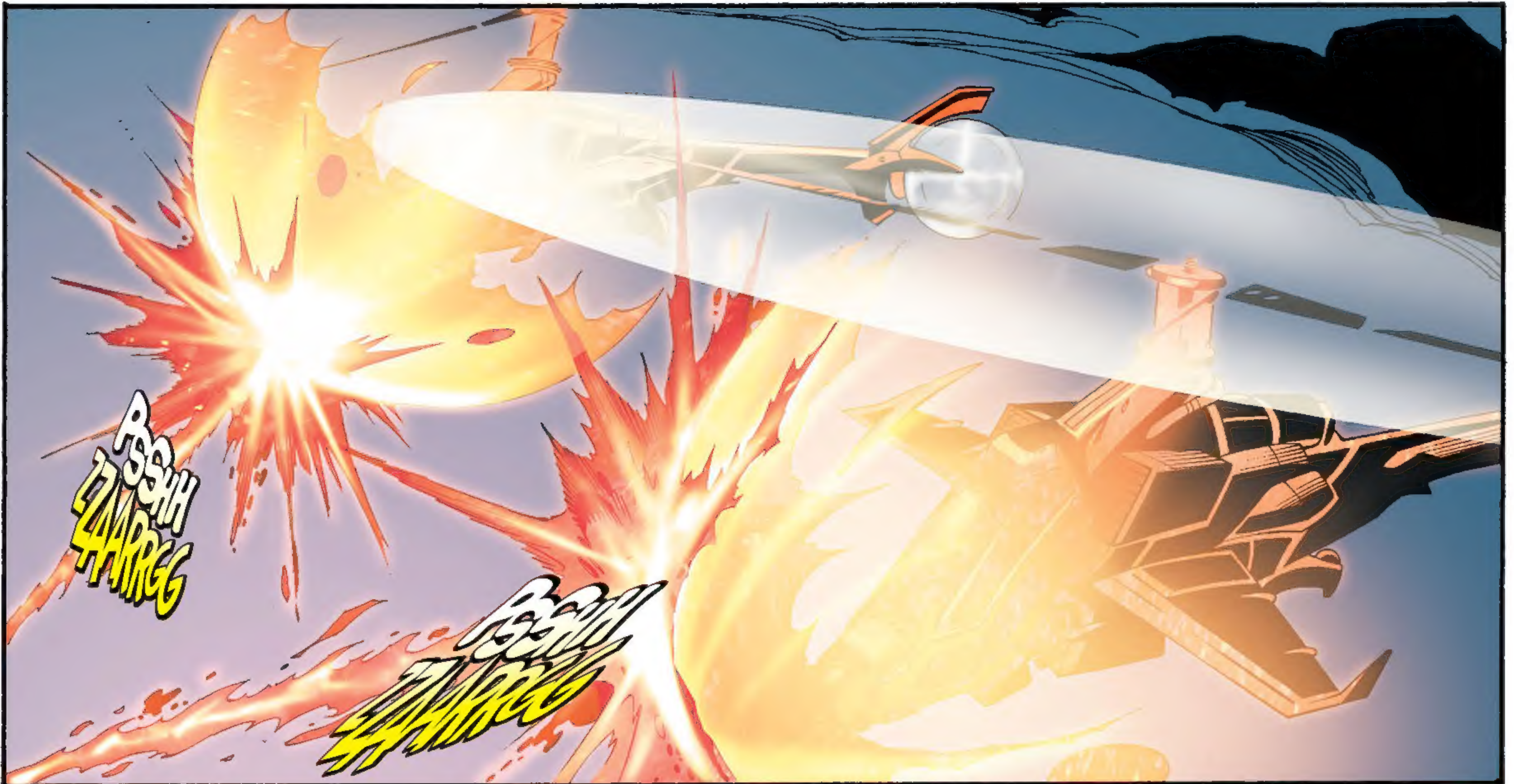
The scum
dropped her off
the bridge and
Spider-Man is
diving after
her.

Take the
shot!!











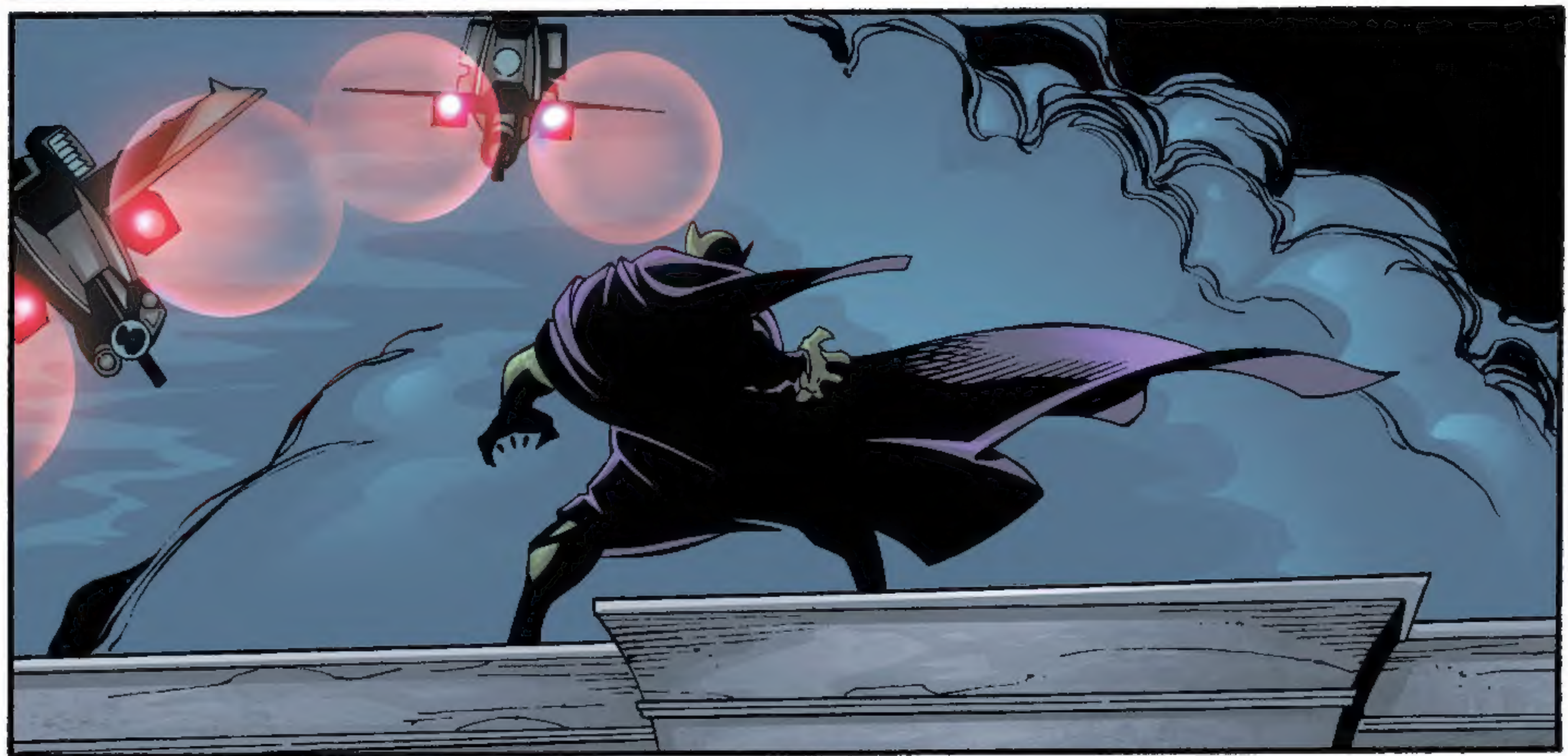
Hold your fire!!

All personnel!
Hold your fire
until I give the
word.



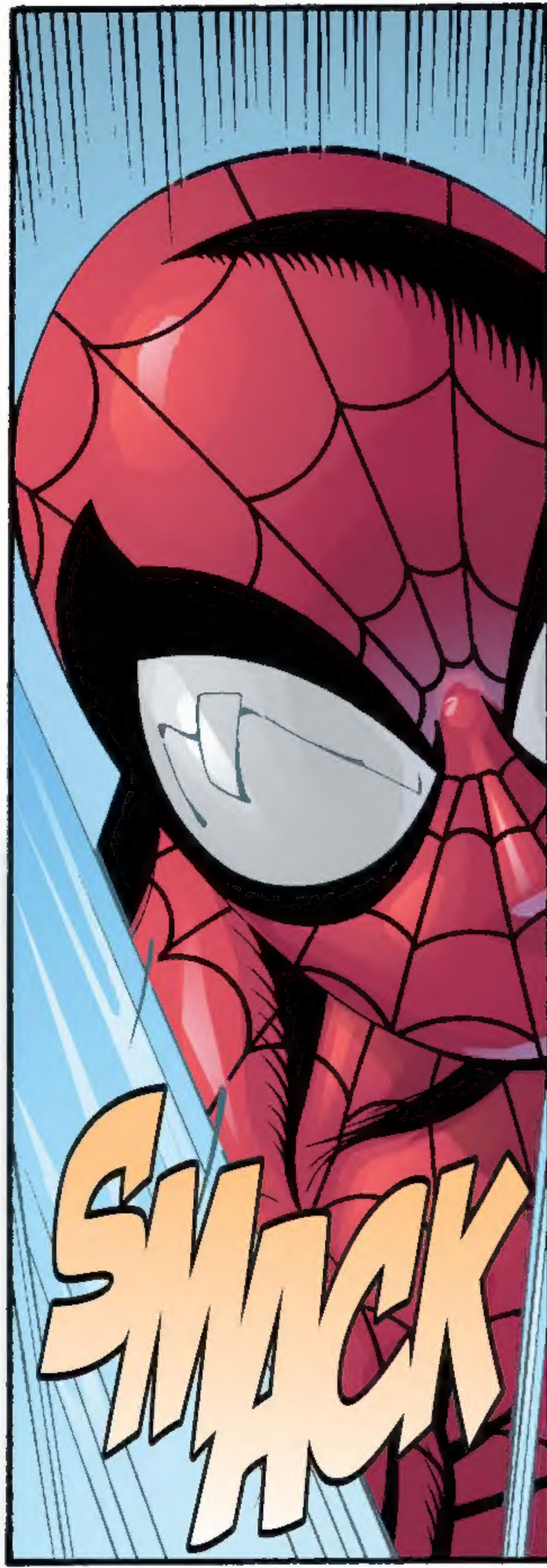
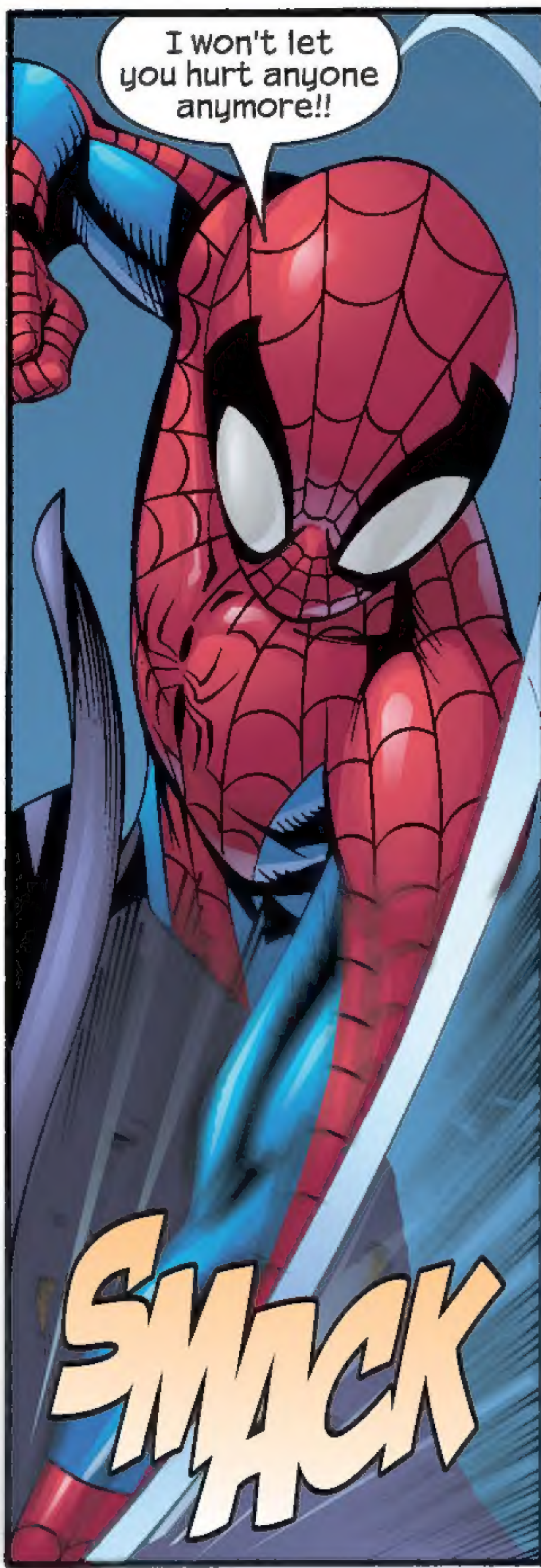
How
DARE you,
Parker?!

I will
have your
head! I will
eat your--



Parker!!

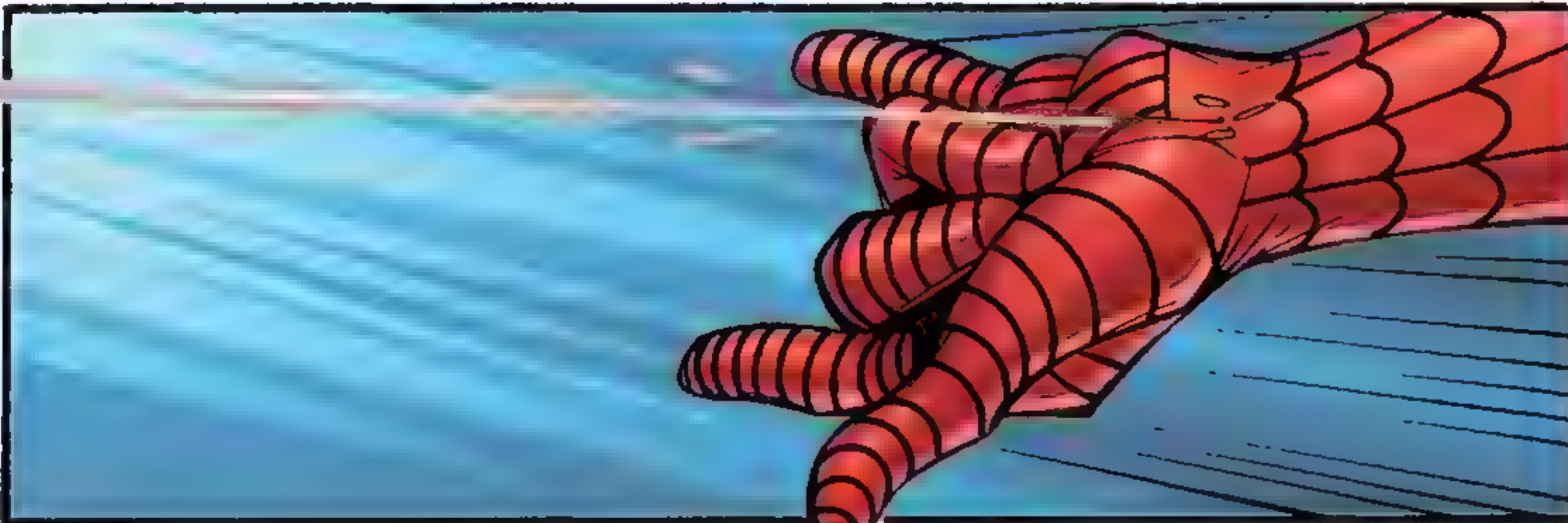
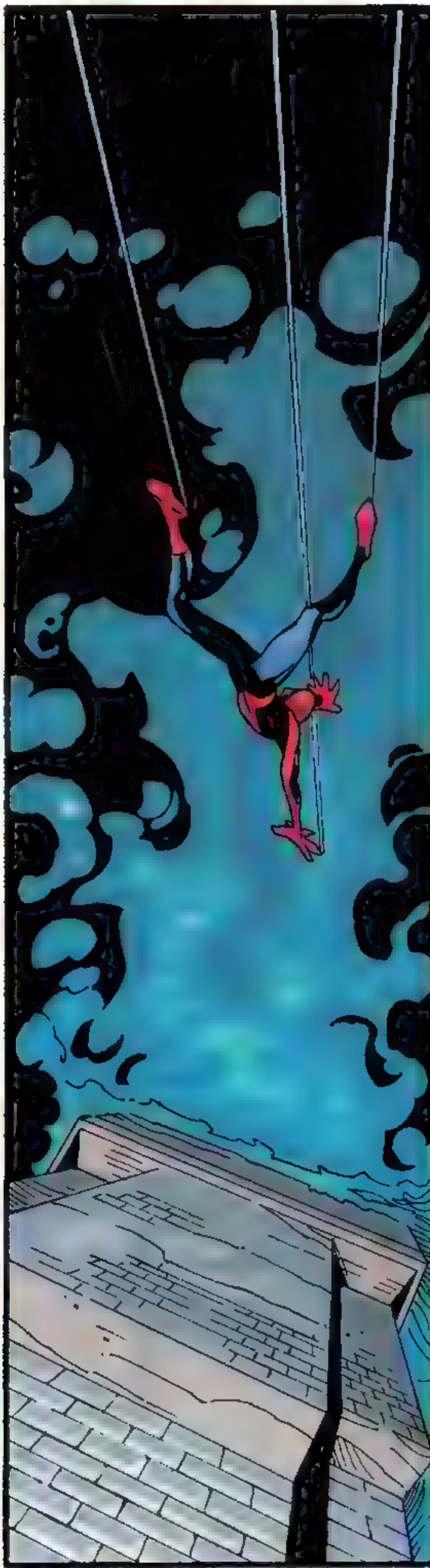
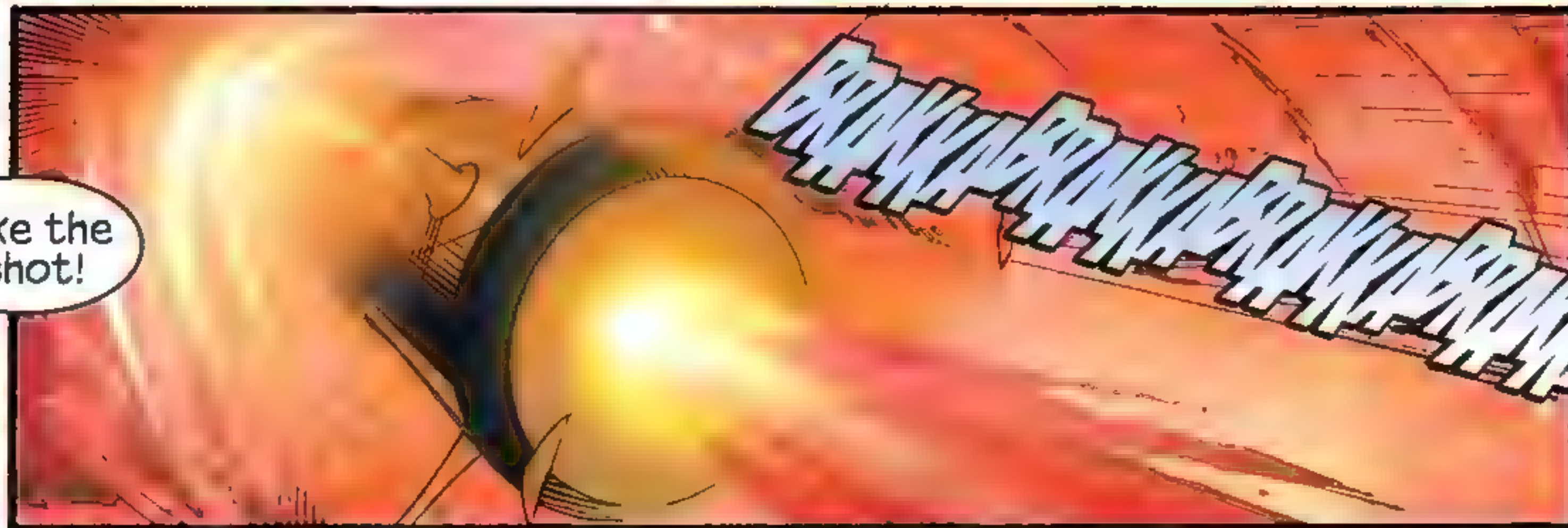
PARKER!!

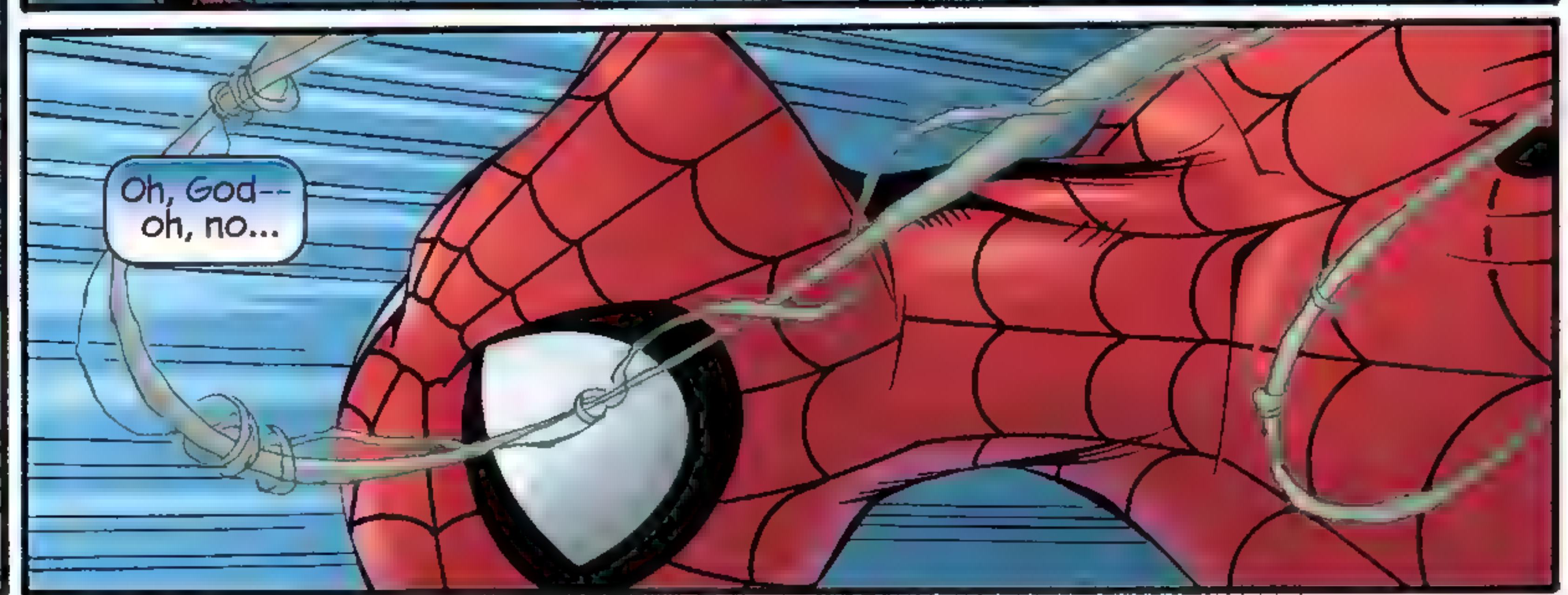
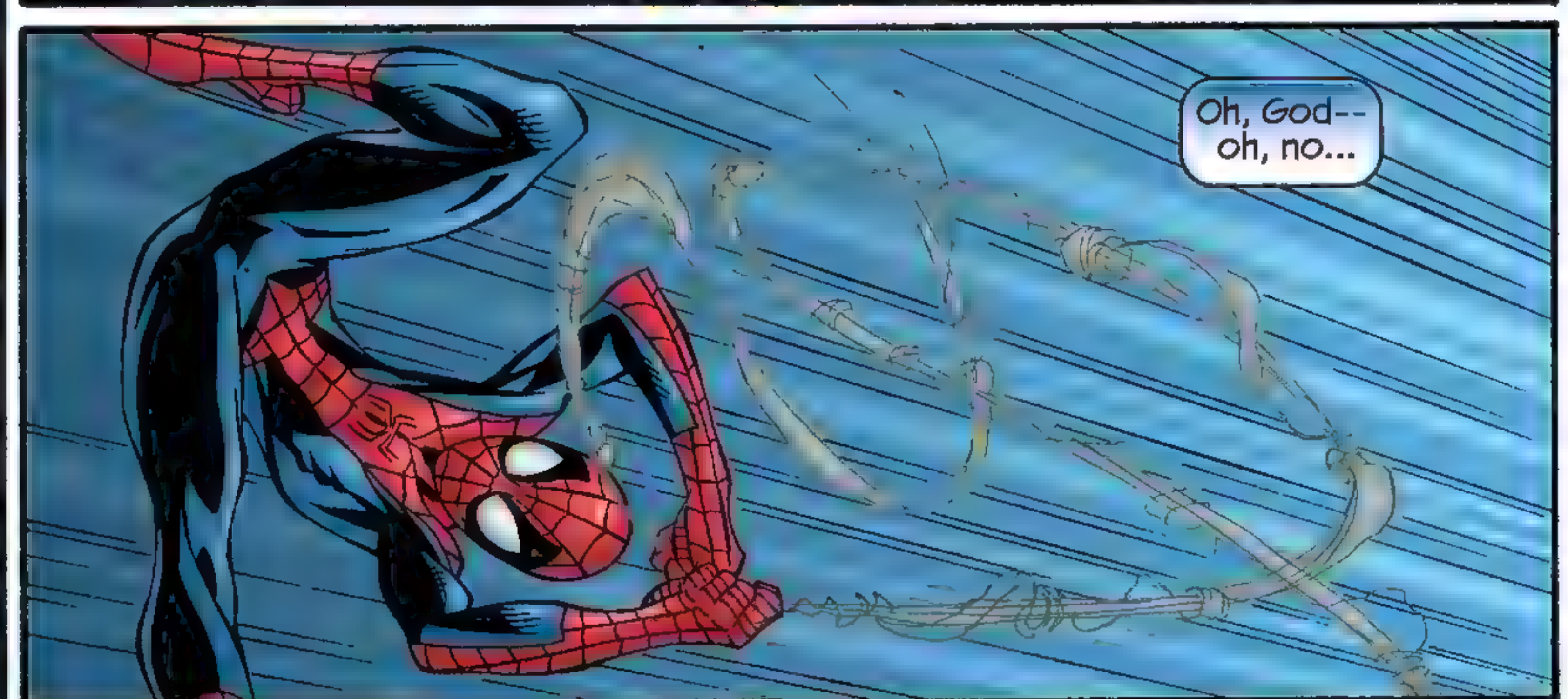
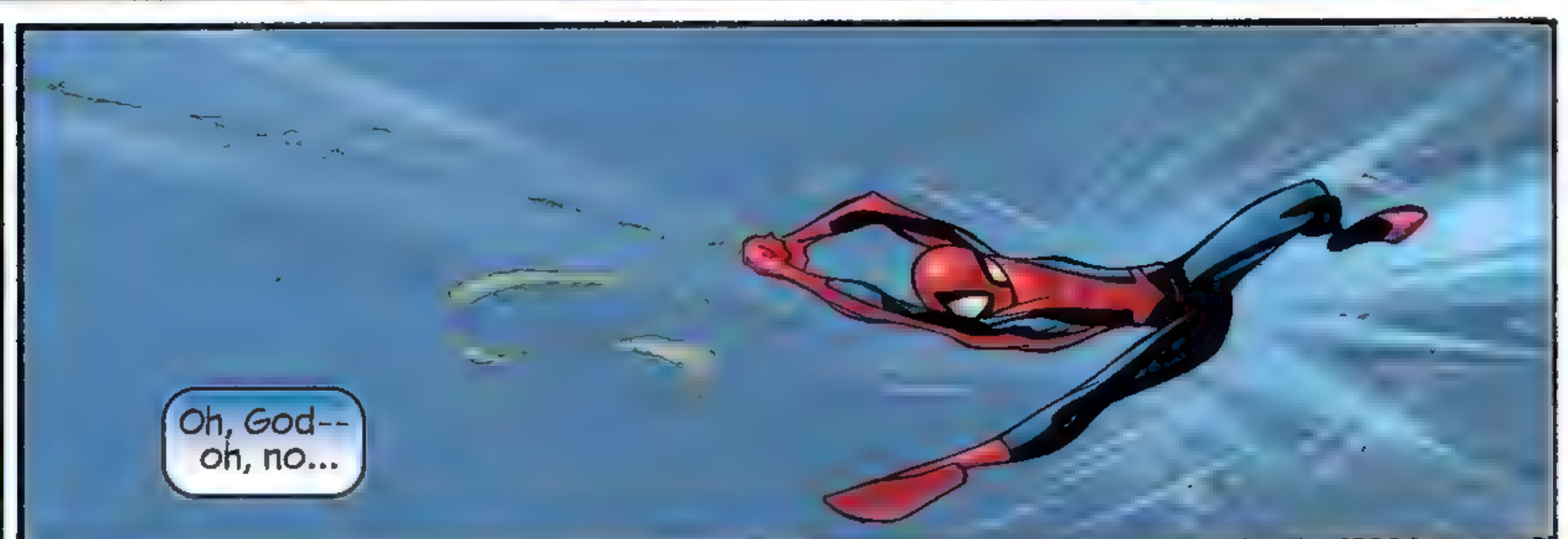
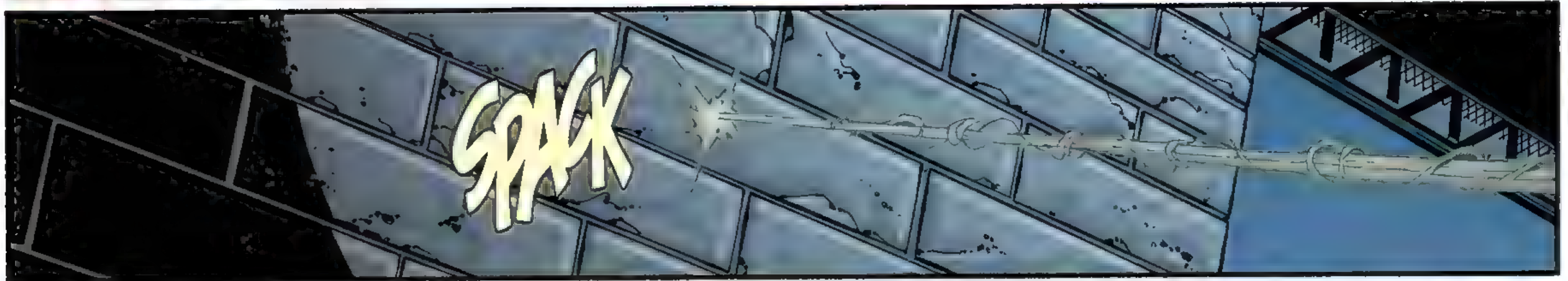
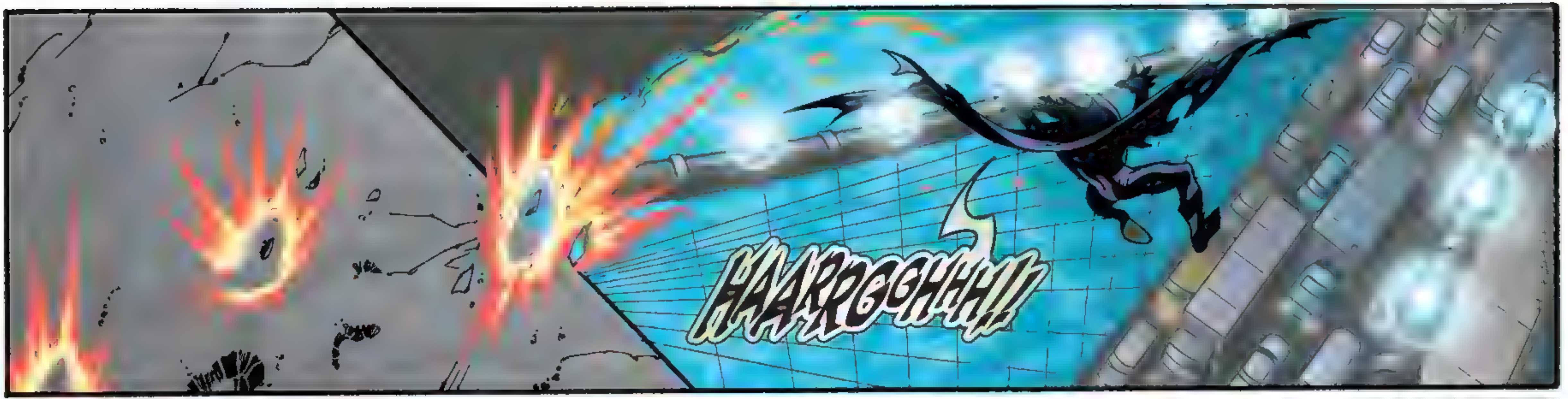


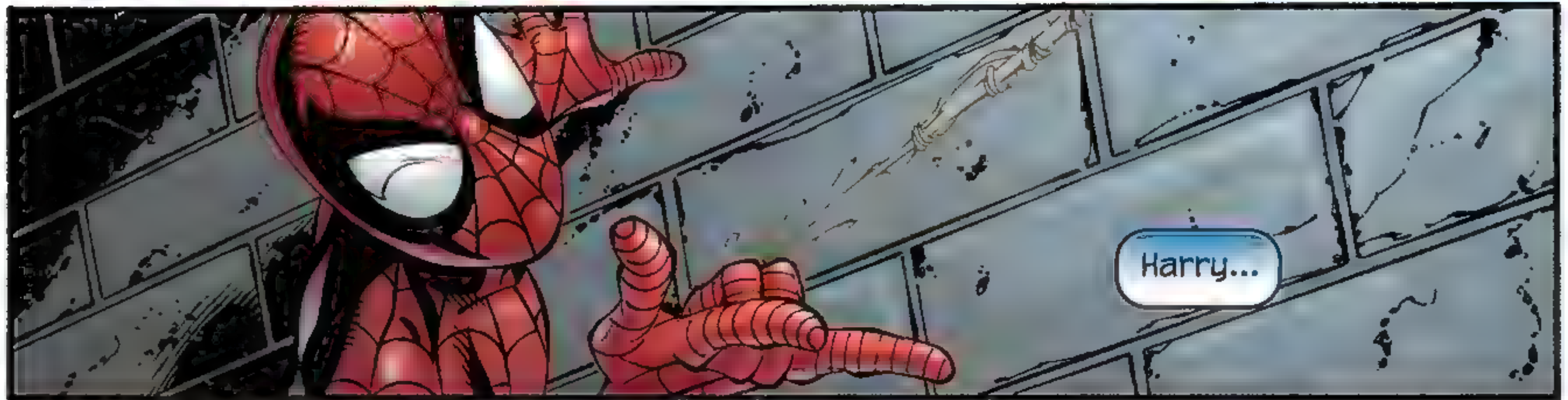
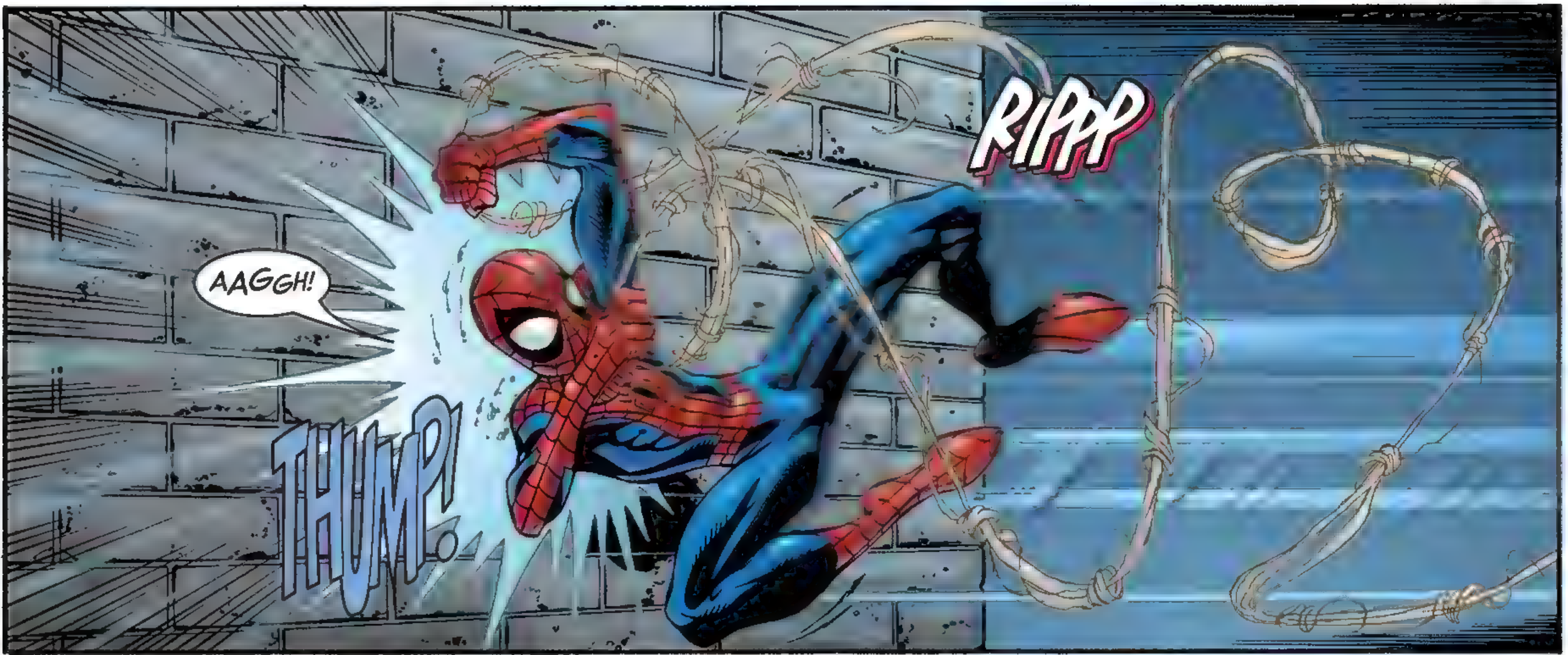


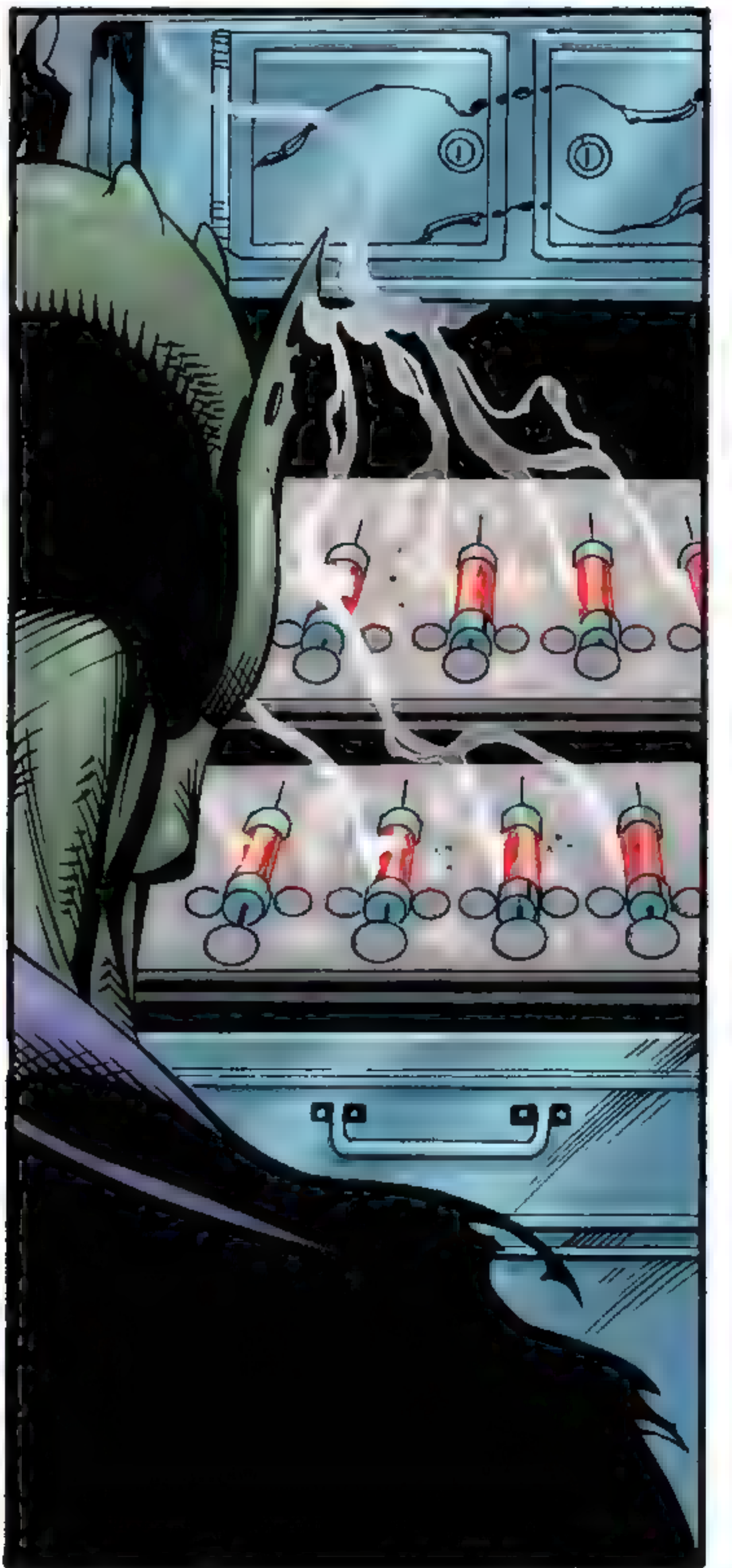
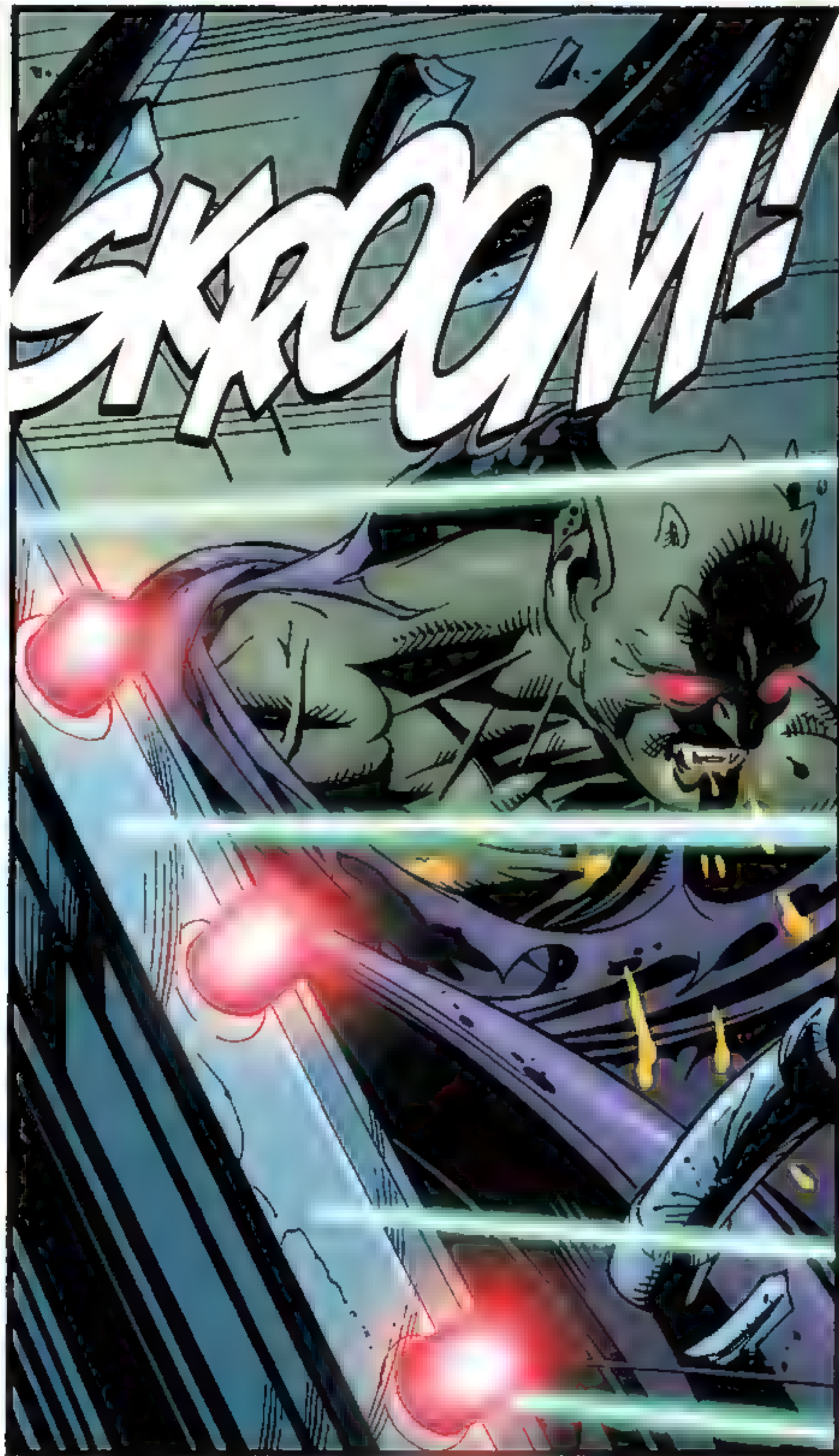
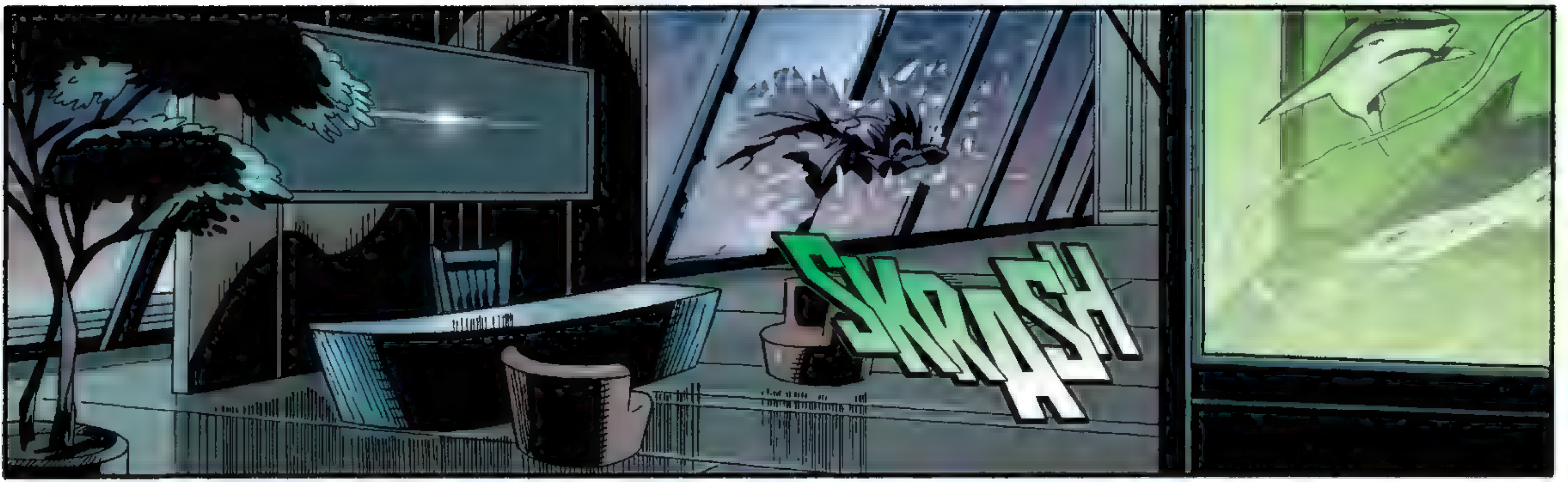


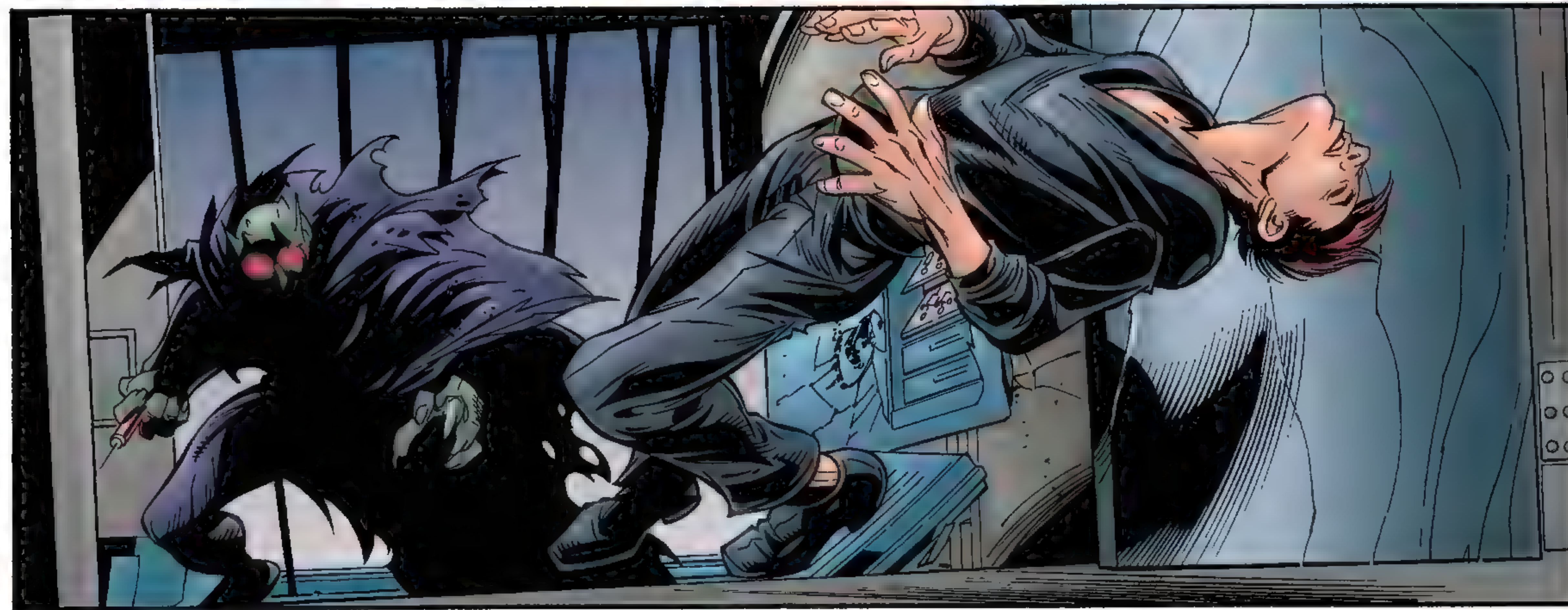
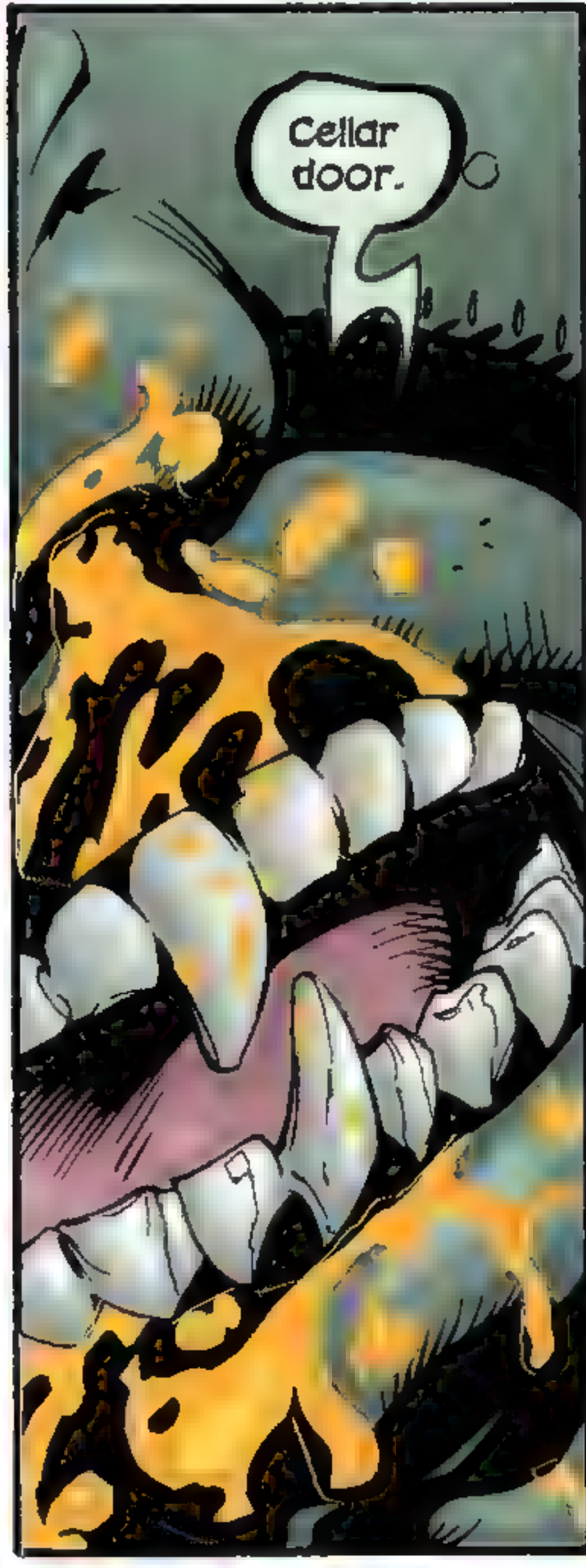
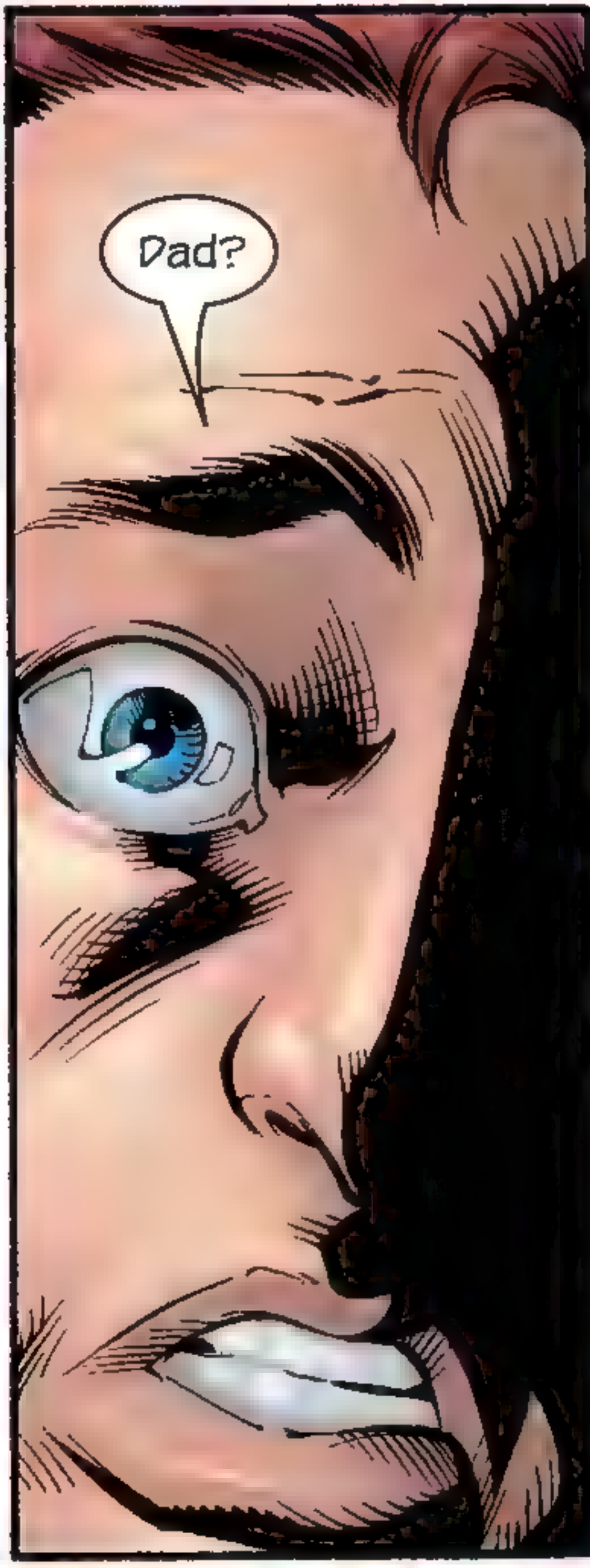
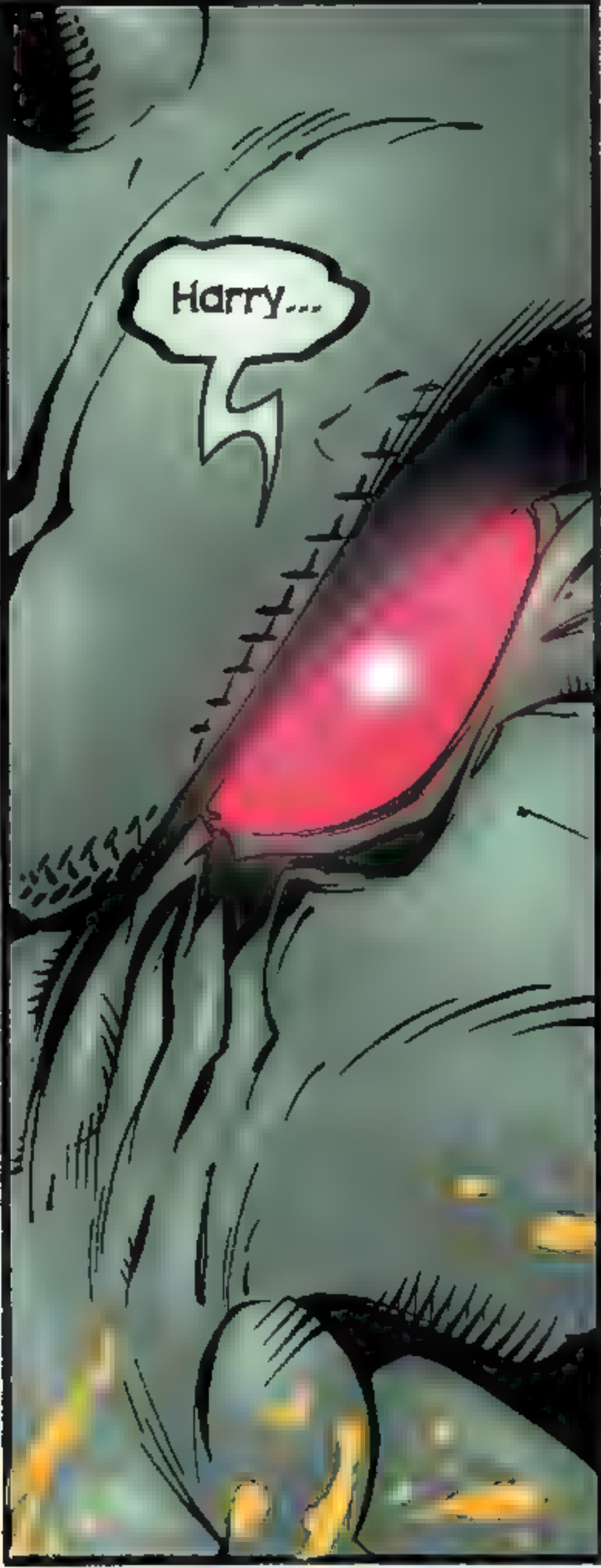
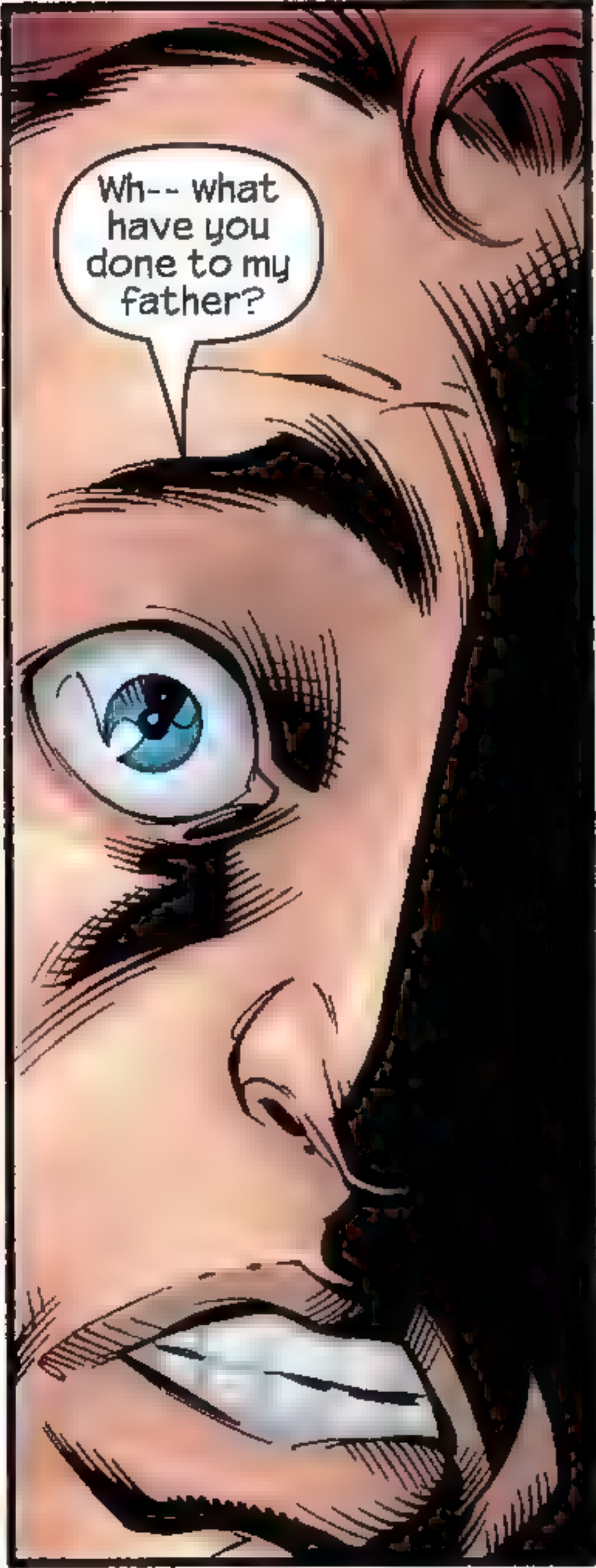
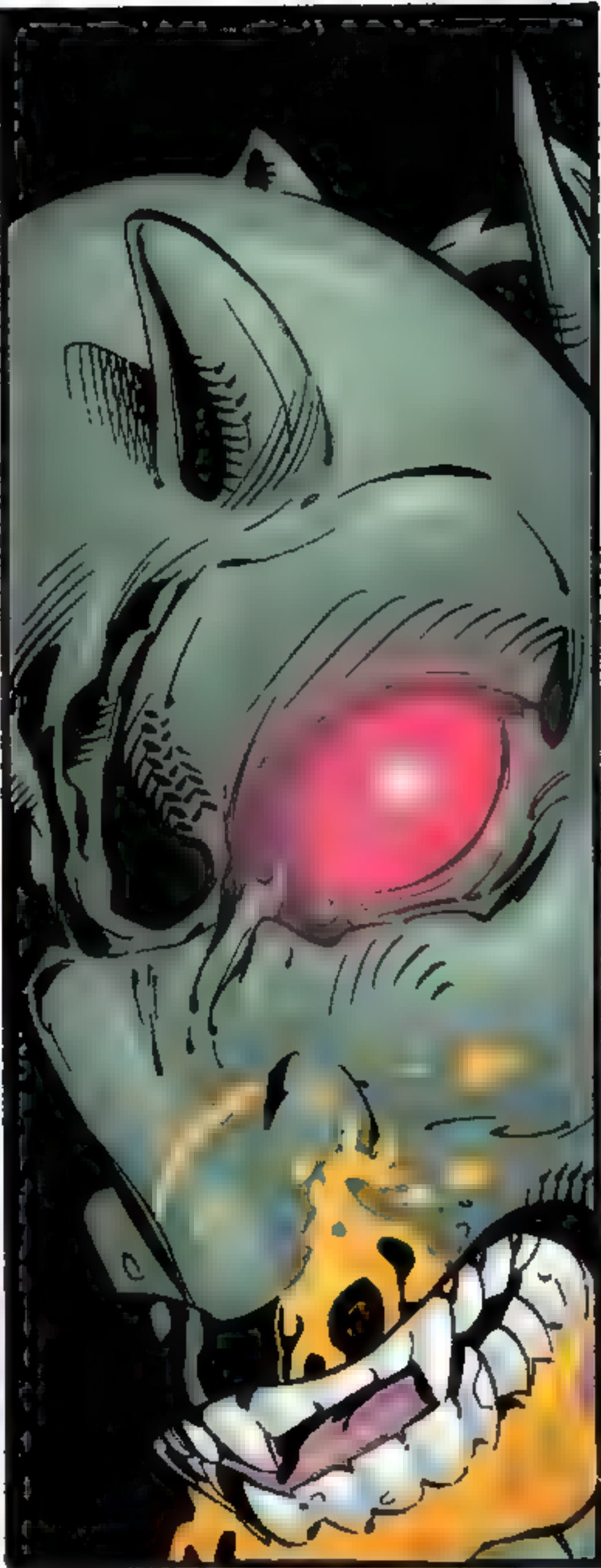
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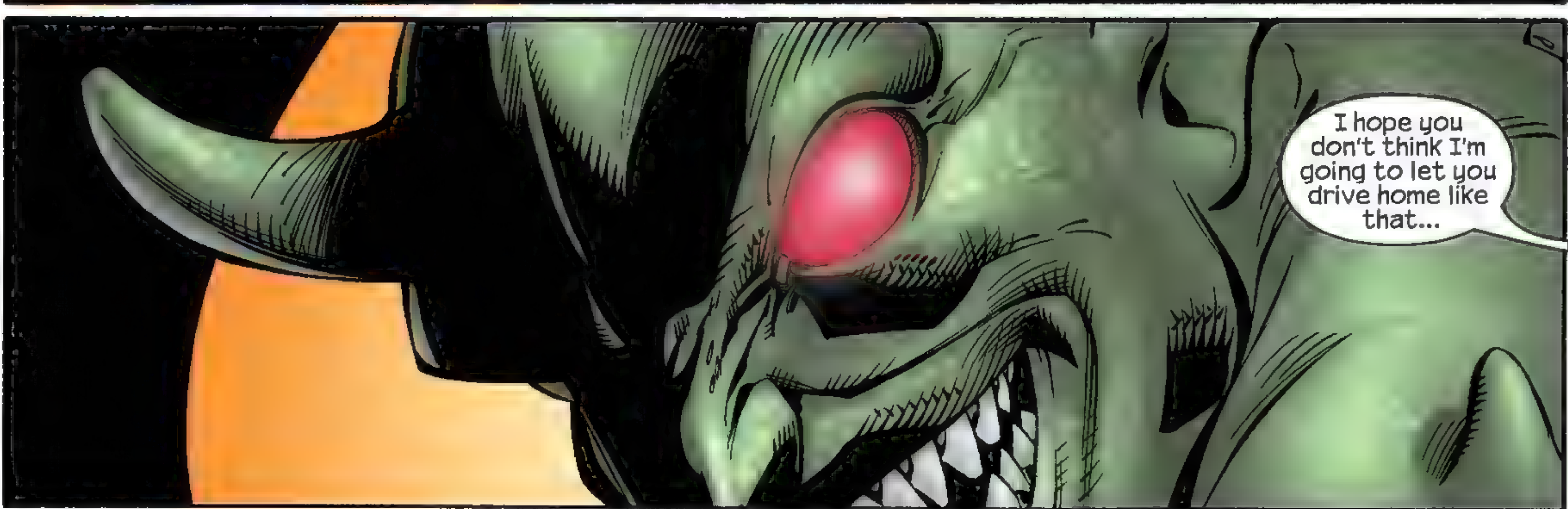


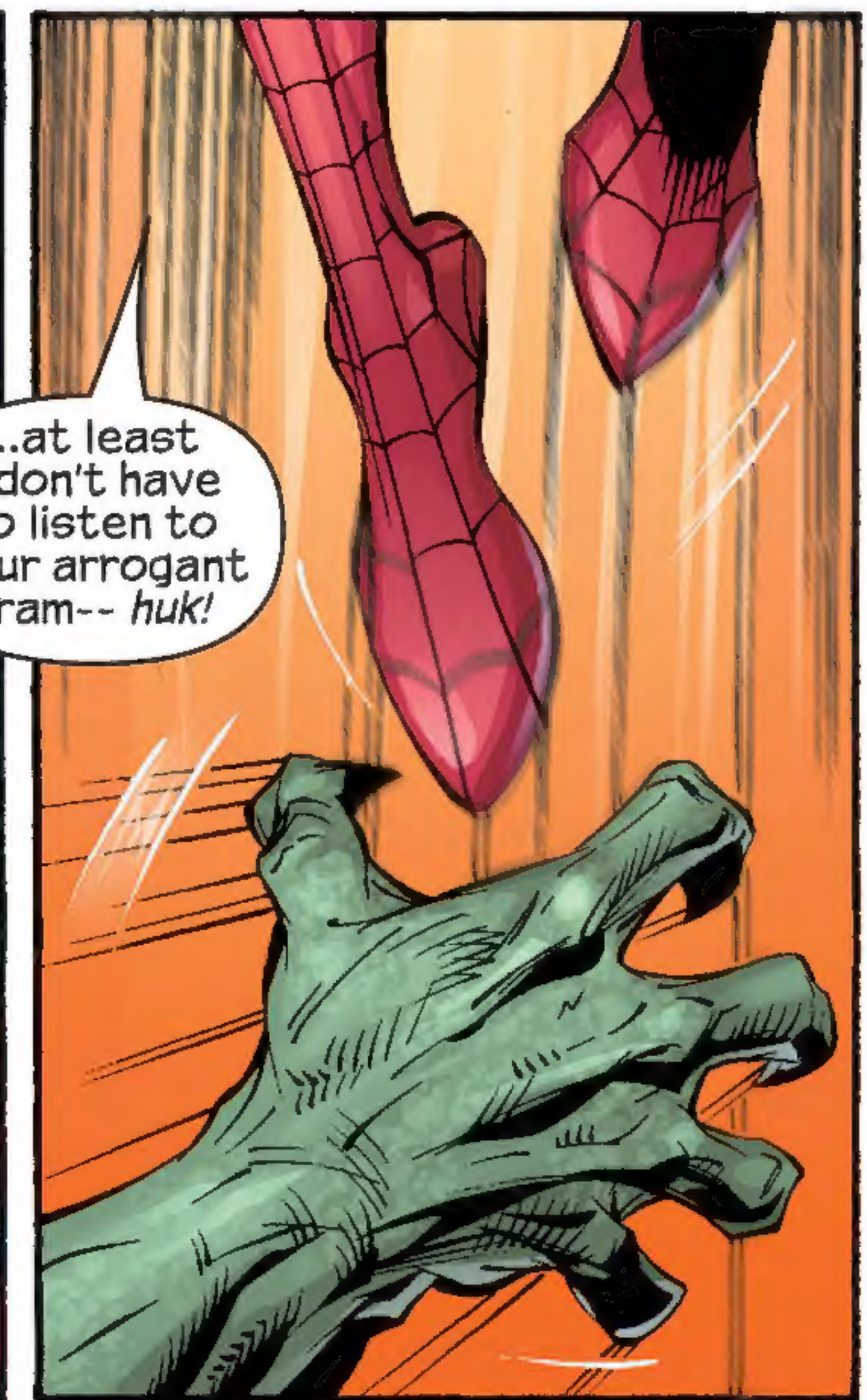
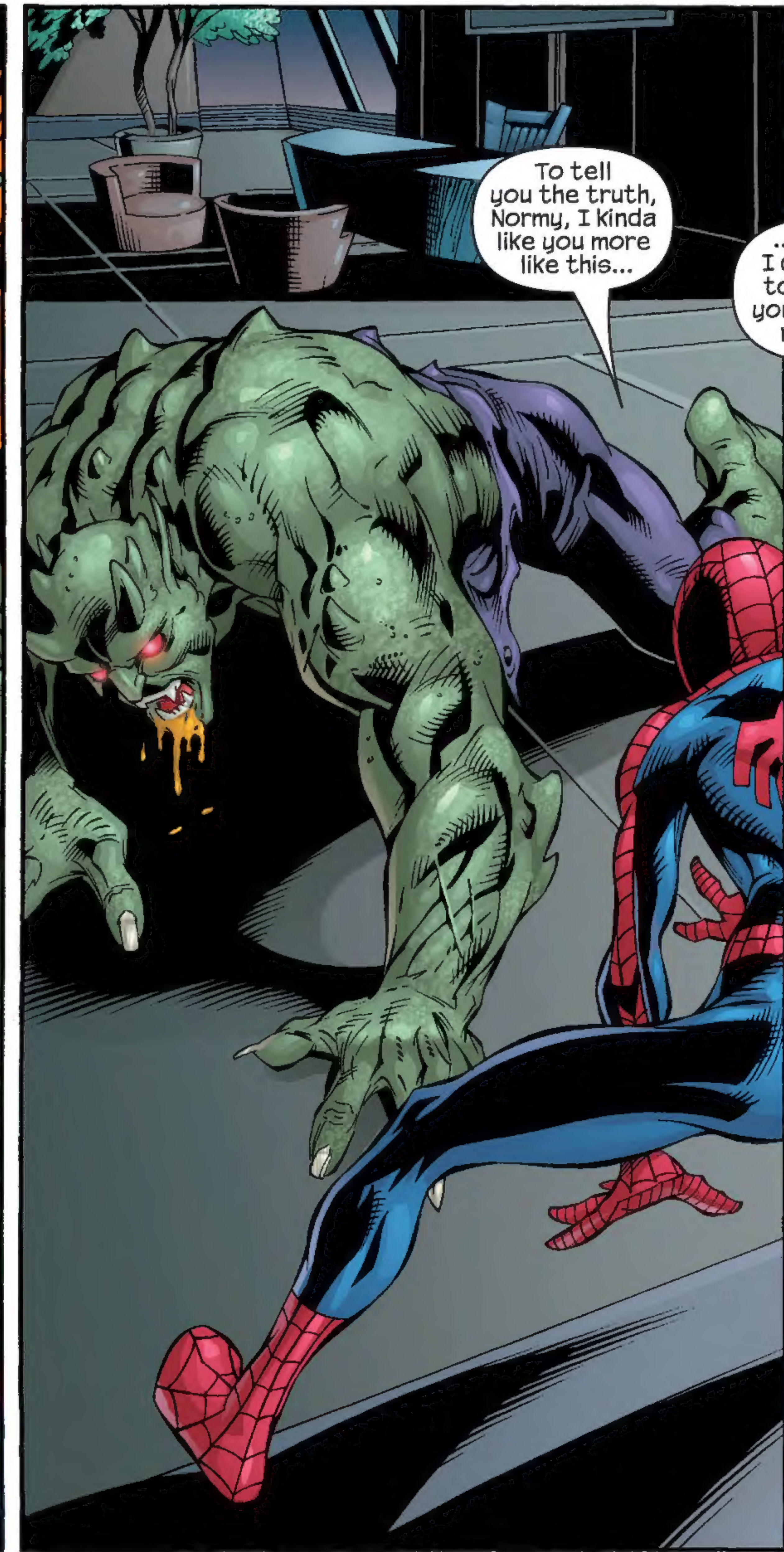


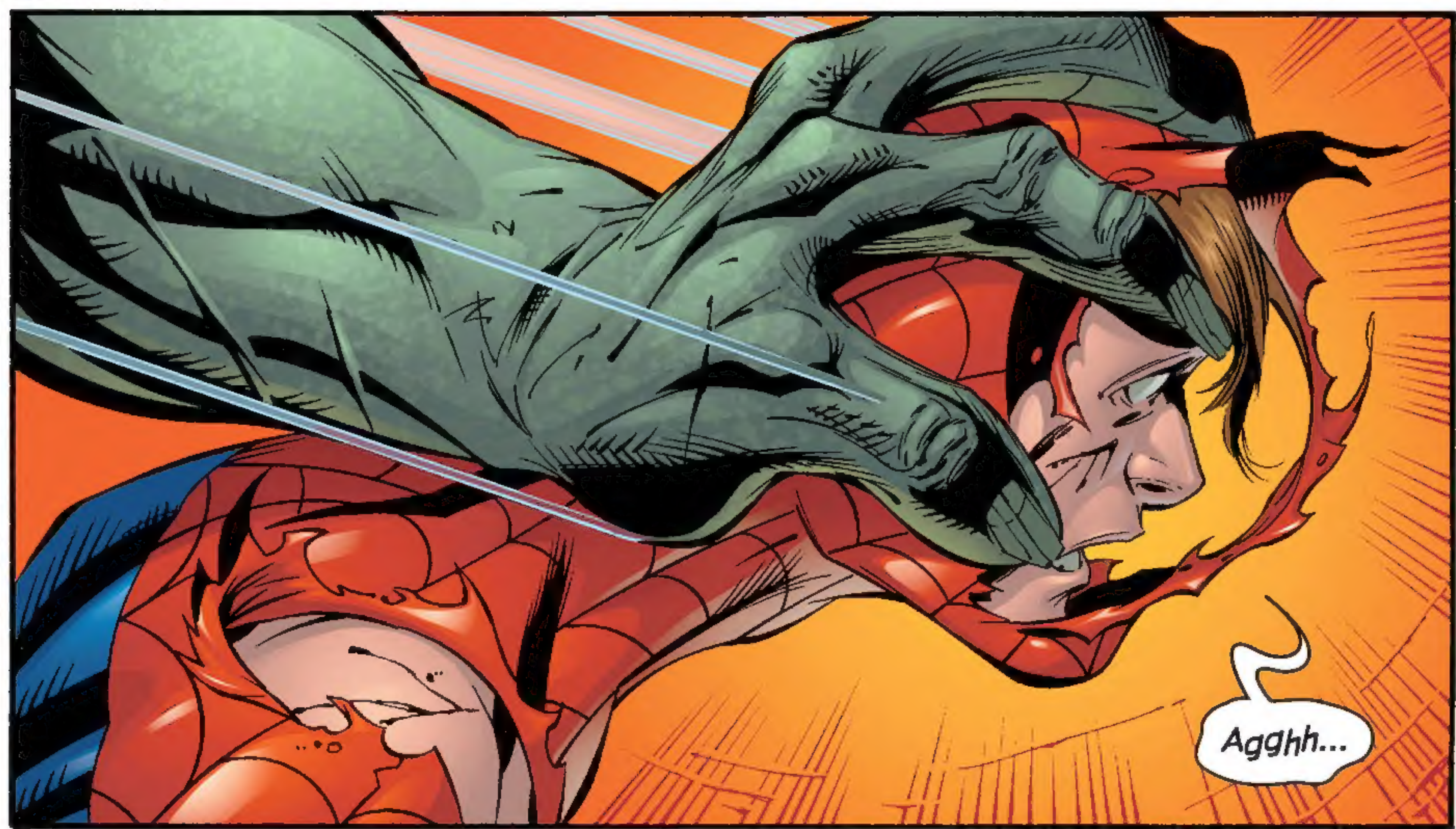
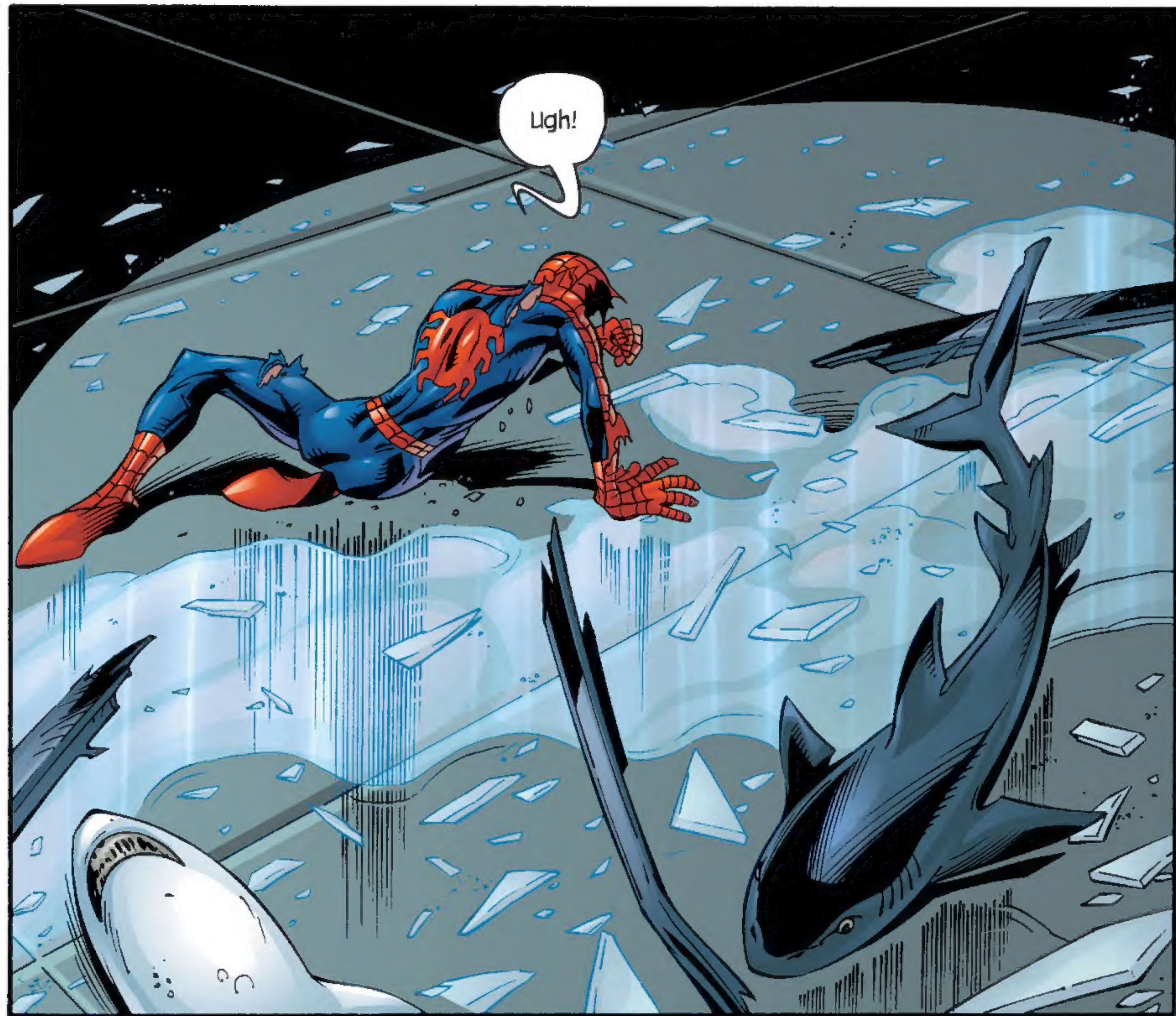
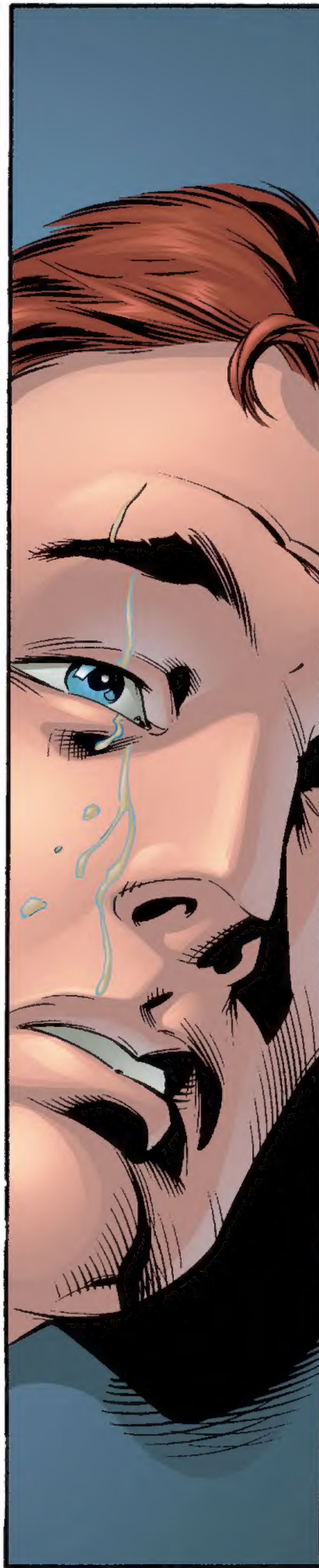
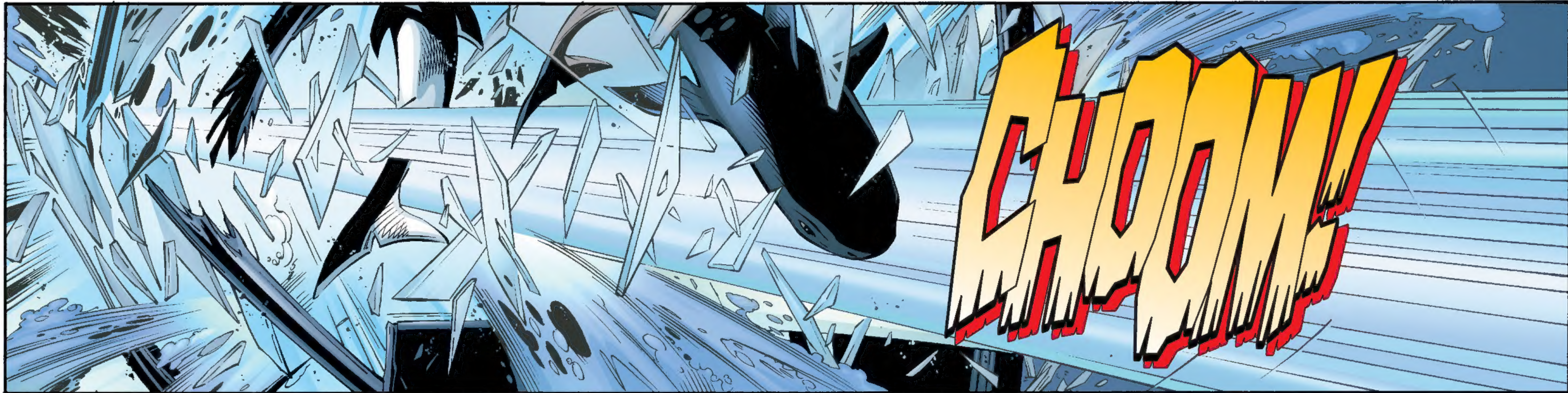


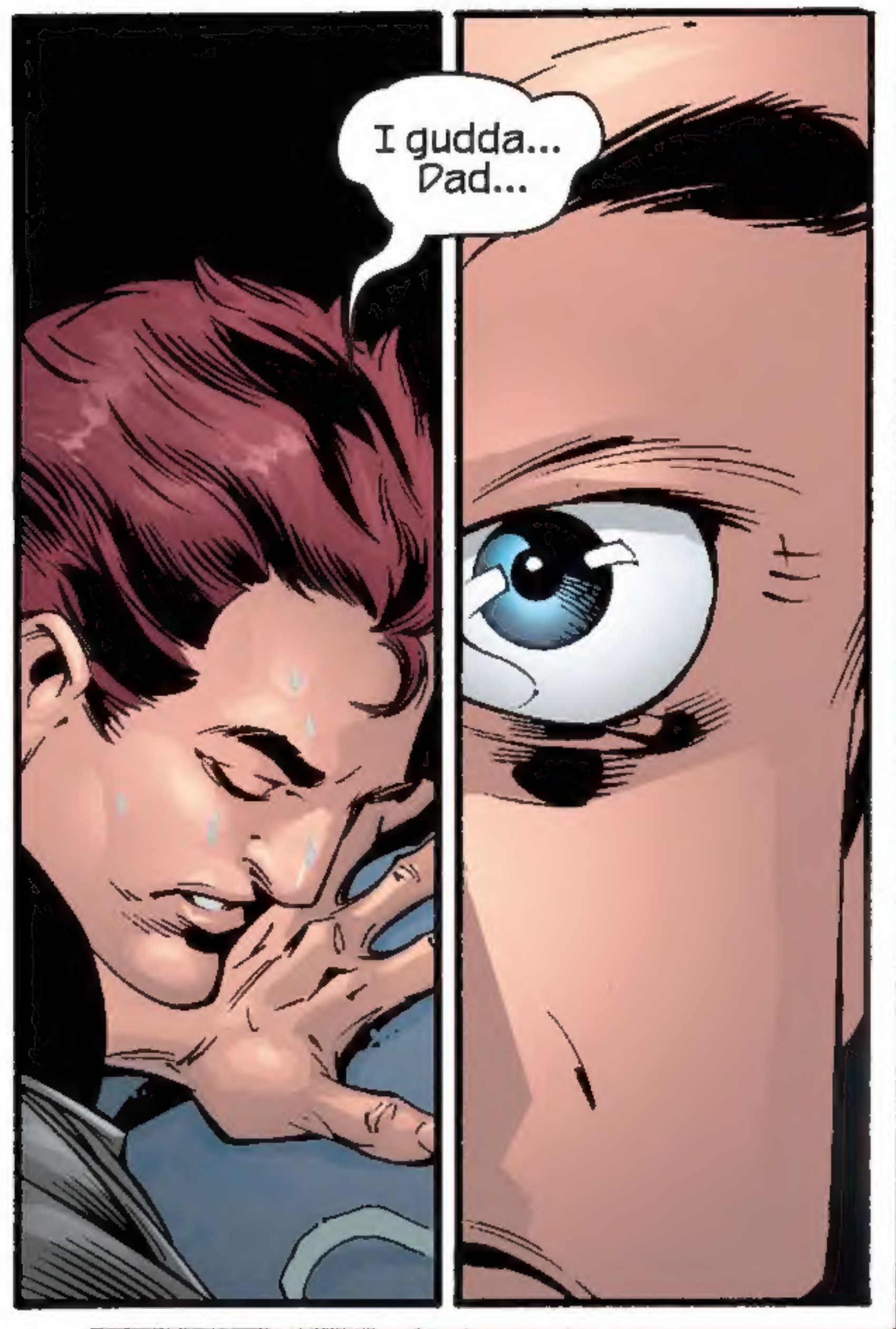














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